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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

FOREST DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT FOREST OFFICER, BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 7th July 1948.

Tender for the transport of Sandalwood between the Government Sandal Koti, Bangalore and Railway Stations during 1948-49.

Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Malleswaram, Bangalore 3. up to 3 P.M. on Wednesday the 4th August 1948 (i) for carting of prepared sandalwood from the Bangalore Government Sandal Koti to Bangalore City Railway Station and of rough sandalwood or prepared sandalwood received from other koties either at Bangalore City or Yeswanthapur Railway Station to the Government Sandal Koti, (ii) weighing and loading of sandalwood into lorries at the Bangalore Government Sandal Koti, (both Billets and Chilta classes), during the year 1948-49.

1. The approximate quantity to be handled is about 600 tons.

2. The tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 (Twenty-five) only in currency Notes as earnest money.

For particulars, please see detailed Notification of date advertised in the Gazette, a copy of which can be had on application to this office.

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Abstract Notification dated 7th—10th July 1948.

Tender for the preparation of Sondalwood at the Government Sandal Koti, Bangalore, during 1948-49.

Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Malleswaram, Bangalore 3, up to 3 P.M. on Wednesday the 4th August 1948 for the work of preparation and assortment of Sandalwood in the Government Sandal Koti, Bangalore, during the year 1948-49.

1. The approximate quantity to be prepared in the Koti is about 200 tons.

2. The tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 (Rupees twenty-five) only in currency Notes as earnest money.

For conditions of contract, etc., please see detailed notification of date advertised in the Gazette, a copy of which, can be had on application to this office.

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Auction Sale of Minor Forest Produce.

Brief Notification dated 8th July 1948.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the undermentioned items of Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations for two years up to end of 30th June 1950 will be sold Talukwar in public auction on the dates and at the places specified below at 2 P.M. by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him.

	Kind of lease	Name of taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale
1	M F P ...	All taluks ...	District Forest Office, Bangalore District.	
2	Tamarind, Maradi and Nuxvomica.	All taluks of the District (Talukwar).	Malleswaram, Bangalore 3.	9th August 1948.
3	Seethaphal ...	Dodballapur, Anekal and Closepet.	Do ...	Do

N.B.—For conditions, please refer to the detailed Notification dated 26th March 1948 advertised on pages 313 to 316, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 22nd April 1948.

305a K. KESHAVAGOPAL NAIDU, *D.F.O.*

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 6th July 1948.

The attention of the public is invited to the resale notification dated 6th July 1948 of the resale of fuel coupes of the District for 1948-49 published on page 654, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 15th July 1948.

2897 H. ANANTHARAMIAH, *Dist. Forest Officer.*

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Brief Notification dated 24th July 1948.

RESALE FOR THE RIGHT OF COLLECTION OF MINOR FOREST PRODUCE.

It is hereby notified for the general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations of the undermentioned units for two years from 1st July 1948 to 30th June 1950 will be resold by public auction on **31st July 1948** at the District Forest Office, Hassan, by the District Forest Officer, Hassan District, Hassan. For detailed notification please see Page No. 313, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 22nd April 1948.

Sl. No.	Name of Unit
1	Alur Taluk
2	Hassan Taluk
3	Channarayapatna Taluk

3107 P. PARASURAM RAO, *D.F.O.*

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 15th July 1948.

Tenders for preparation and carting of timber in Shimoga Forest Division during the year 1948-49.

The public are hereby informed that sealed tenders for the preparation and carting of timber in the several coupes of the Division during the year 1948-49 will be received by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, or by any other officer deputed by him on Thursday the 12th August 1948 up to 4 P.M.

Each tender should be superscribed as "Tender for preparation and carting of timber in Shimoga Division for 1948-49" and should be accompanied by Rs. 200 in currency notes towards earnest money for each Range.

Detailed notification and particulars required can be obtained from this office of the undersigned.

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Detailed Notification dated 19th July 1948.

Tender for preparation and supply of Sleepers during 1948-49.

Sealed tenders will be received up to 4 P.M. on 16th August 1948, at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, for the preparation and supply of the following kinds and quantities of sleepers from Agumbe Forests of Agumbe Range, to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati, during 1948-49:—

Dhuma M. G. sleepers	6′×8″×4½″	20,000	More or less
Do N. G. do	5′×6″×4½″	1,500	
Do T. G. do	4′×6″×4″	1,500	
Do Special do		500	

2. The tender should be superscribed as "Tender for the supply of Dhuma Metre and other gauge sleepers", and accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes. The rates should be distinctly written both in words as well as in figures for each kind of sleeper.

3. The power of acceptance of any lowest or other tender rests with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept or reject any lower or other tender without assigning any reason therefor.

4. The sleepers should be supplied by the end of May 1949 in proportion during each month as per instructions of the

District Forest Officer. The details of monthwar supplies will be intimated at the time of execution of the bond.

It should be distinctly understood that no extension of time under any circumstances will be granted. Failure on the part of the contractor or contractors to supply the sleepers as above entails the forfeiture of the whole or such portion of the security as the District Forest Officer deems fit. If the supply of the sleepers by the contractor or contractors is slack, and if in the opinion of the District Forest Officer, the contractor or contractors are not likely to discharge their obligations, the District Forest Officer will at once cancel the contract, forfeit the security deposit and make other arrangements for their supply or without cancelling the contract, make additional arrangements to supplement the progress.

Payment will be made only on thesleepers delivered at the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati, on presentation of bills along with the Depot Receipts submitted through the Range Officer, Agumbe and no direct payments will be made. The passing sleepers will be done in Forests by the Range Officer, Agumbe. No payment will be made on rejections over 10 per cent in the aggregate at the plant.

6. The contractors should collect and prepare sleepers from out of the trees assigned by the Range Officer, Agumbe, in the Forests of Agumbe Range.

7. The successful tenderer or tenderers will be required to execute an agreement within a week from the date of receipt of intimation of acceptance of tender embodying the following conditions and furnish a security deposit of Rs. 1,000 including the earnest money already paid, failing which the earnest money paid will be forfeited, the contract cancelled, and further action taken to dispose of the contract otherwise.

CONDITIONS.

1. The trees marked for felling should be felled in the consecutive order. The contractors should not fell trees not marked by the Range Officer.

2. The felling of the trees, reserved by the Department, shall be treated as an offence.

3. The trees shall as far as possible, be felled flush with the ground and in no case should the stump left behind on the ground, after felling, exceed 12" in height.

4. From the time of felling, the timber shall be at the sole risk of the contractor who shall make his own arrangements for the protection of the same from fire, theft, wastage or damage of any kind whatsoever.

5. Rejected sleepers, side boards, tops and pieces and all portions not used for sleepers shall be the property of the Government.

6. Every portion of the tree must, as far as possible, be converted into sleepers, if suitable for the purpose, without causing undue wastage.

7. Sleepers should not be removed from the forests after they are inspected and passed by the Range Officer.

8. No sleeper should be removed from the forest without obtaining a passport from the Range Forest Officer or such other subordinates duly authorised by him.

9. All sleepers accepted by the Range Officer, Agumbe, for which passports have been issued should be delivered at the latest within one week from the date of issue of such passes. Any sleepers not reaching the Depot within the above period will be treated as lost and the value thereof recovered at the Depot rates, from the contractor or contractors from the amount of the next bill due to him or them.

10. In the matter of consigning different kinds of sleepers from time to time, the contractres should abide by the instructions of the Range Officer.

11. The contractor or contractors, during the currency of this contract, shall not take up any other similar contract.

12. If the contractor or contractors should fail to supply the allotted quantity during each month as noted above and to maintain steady and adequate progress during each fortnight, the District Forest Officer will be at liberty to make additional arrangements to supplement the progress as stated above. If any extra cost has to be incurred on this account, it shall be recovered from the next bill of the contractor or contractors.

13. The contractor or contractors should make their own arrangements for the preparation of jungle cart-tracks, etc., for transporting sleepers.

14. The contractors shall abide by the rules of the department as regards kindling of fires, and hold themselves responsible for any offence committed by them or their agents, employees or cartmen.

15. The contractors shall maintain a bound register, in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number and other particulars of trees felled and the out-turn of sleepers.

16. The contractor or contractors shall not assign their right under this agreement or any part thereof without the written permission of the District Forest Officer for the time being and such permission may however, be refused without assigning reasons therefor.

17. The contractor or contractors shall take care, as far as possible, not to cause any damage to any other standing growth which is not to be felled. For any such damage, unless caused by accident or due to reasons beyond their control, the contractors shall pay up such compensation as may be decided by the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga.

18. In the case of any dispute regarding this contract, the decision of the Conservator of Forests shall be final.

19. For breach of any of the above conditions, the District Forest Officer is empowered to cancel their contract, at any stage, without assigning any reason therefor and forfeit the deposit in full or part thereof.

20. The deposit of the contractors will be returned three months after the expiry of the contract period, if in the meantime, no part thereof is forfeited for breach of bond conditions satisfying that no sleepers are to be accounted for by them.

FORM OF TENDER.

Sir,

I offer to prepare and deliver 23,500 sleepers to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati, as per specifications and conditions noted in the printed notification, dated 19th July 1948.

Rs.	Per M. G. sleepers of 6′×8″×4½″	Dhuma sleeper
Rs.	Per N. G. do 5′×6″×4½″	do
Rs.	Per T. G. do 4′×6″×4″	do
Rs.	Per C.ft. of special sleepers.	

I enclose herein currency notes of the abovenoted number to the value of Rs. 200 only.

Contractor.

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Detailed Notification dated 19th July 1948.

TENDER FOR PREPARATION AND CARTING OF BALAGI POLES DURING 1948-49.

Sealed tenders are invited for the preparation and carting of Balagi poles in Shimoga Division during the year 1948-49 as detailed in the Schedule annexed hereunder. Rates to be given separately.

2. The tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, and should reach him on or before 4 P.M. on 16th August 1948. Any tender received after the abovementioned time will not be taken notice of.

3. Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money deposit of Rs. 200 (Rupees two hundred only) in the form of currency notes and should be superscribed as "Tender for preparation and carting of Balagi poles only" during the year 1948-49 from Agumbe State Forest to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravathi.

4. The right of accepting or rejecting any tender is vested in the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who is not bound to assign any reason for accepting or rejecting the lowest or any tender. The successful tenderer is required to enter into an agreement with the District Forest Officer, within a week from the date of receipt of intimation of the acceptance of his tender binding himself to observe the following conditions, failing which the contract is liable to be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government. The power of giving the contract to one or more persons is vested in the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga.

5. For the due fulfilment of the terms of contract the successful tenderer should deposit in the Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 250 as security (including the earnest money noted in condition 3 above) duly pledged in the name of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga. The amount is liable to be forfeited to Government for the breach of all or any of the conditions of the contract. The earnest money of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them by means of cheques.

6. Rates may be quoted for preparation and carting separately.

7. Payments will be made only on the Balagi poles delivered at the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati, on presentation of bills along with Depot receipts submitted through the Range Officer, Agumbe and no direct payments will be made. The contractor should only cart to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati the accepted poles, passed by the R. O.

CONDITIONS.

(a) All good and sound Balagi poles passed by the Range Officer, Agumbe, should be carted to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati, as noted in the annexed schedule.

(b) The present contract is for the period ending with 30th June 1949 from the date of acceptance of the tender.

(c) The minimum quantities to be prepared and carted to the Depots by the contractors will be as follows:—

"One-fourth of the contracted quantity by the end of December 1948 and the remaining quantity by the end of May 1949. The contractor should cart the proportionate number of contracted poles every fortnight so as to keep up a steady progress in the carting work. The contractor must be able to prepare and cart a large number at any time when called upon to do so. Failure on the part of the contractor to cart the poles as noted above entails the forfeiture of the whole or such portion of the security as the District Forest Officer deems fit. If the work of the contractor is slack during any fortnight and if, in the opinion of the District Forest Officer, the contractor is not likely to discharge his obligations satisfactorily, the District Forest Officer will be at liberty either to cancel the contract at once, forfeit the security and make other arrangements for the preparation and carting or without cancelling the contract make additional arrangements to supplement the work at his discretion. Any extra expenditure which the department has to incur for this purpose will be made good by the contractor".

(d) No poles should be removed from the Forest without obtaining a passport from the Forest Range Officer or such other subordinate duly authorized by him.

(e) All poles for which passports have been obtained should be delivered in the Plant the latest within one month of the issue of such passes. Any pole not reaching the Plant within one month of the issue of such passes will be treated as lost, and the value thereof recovered at the Wood Preservation Plant rates from the contractor from the amounts of the next bill due to him.

(f) In the matter of preparing and consigning different kinds of poles from time to time, the contractor should abide by the instructions of the Range Officer.

(g) The contractor during the currency of his contract shall not take up any other similar contracts.

(h) The Range Officer at the beginning of each period mentioned in clause (j) will inform the contractor in writing, of the number of poles available for preparing and carting.

(i) The contractor shall abide by the rules of the department as regards kindling of fire and hold himself responsible for any offence committed by him or his agents, employees or cartmen.

(j) The bills for carting should be supported by the Plant receipts. The preparation and carting for one full month should be claimed in a single bill to be presented in the next month and no part-payment will be allowed in the middle of the month. No claim for cart-hire not claimed within three months from the date of its becoming due will be paid unless the delay in claiming is satisfactorily explained.

(k) The security furnished will be returned to the contractor three months after the expiry of the contract period, if the whole or any portion of it is not forfeited to Government for the violation of any of the terms of the contract after satisfying that no poles are outstanding against the contractor.

Schedule

35' footers	...	...	...	350
30' do	...	...	...	350
26' do	...	...	...	800
			Total ...	1,500

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Notification dated 20th July 1948.

Tender for collection of metal and consolidation work in Shimoga-Settihalli Road, during 1948-49.

The public are informed that sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, up to 2 P.M. on Friday the 16th August 1948 for collection of metal and consolidation for repairing the Shimoga-Settihalli Road of Shankar Range during the year 1948-49 as per schedule given below:—

The schedule contains an estimate of the approximate quantities of the several works to be done, These quantities are not guaranteed.

Sealed tenders should be submitted in the undermentioned form showing the rates at which different items of work will be executed. The detailed estimate may be seen at the District Forest Office, Shimoga, during office hours.

Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes and shall be superscribed "Tender for repairing the Shimoga-Settihalli Road of Shankar Range during 1948-49." Tenders received without the above deposit will be rejected.

Final acceptance or otherwise of the tender will rest with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, as the case may be, but the officer accepting or rejecting any tender is not bound to accept the lowest or any other tender or assign any reason therefor.

Within eight days of the date of receipt of the acceptance order of the tender, the successful tenderer should execute an agreement on a stamp paper of ten annas value before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, for the due fulfilment of the contract; failing which the contract will be cancelled and the earnest money of Rs. 100 forfeited to Government.

The deposit of successful tenderer will be retained as security for fulfilment of the contract, while those of others will be returned through cheque.

The tenderer must quote specific rate, both in figures as well as in words.

The work should be completed before the end of November 1948 and the instructions of the Range Officer, Shankar Range, in the matter of works should be carried out.

Payments for the works carried out will be made twice during the period of contract, once after the metal collection at the road head in the different furlongs to be repaired are completed and the second after consolidation is over and the work check measured. Bills passed by the Range Officer should be presented at the District Forest Office for payment. No advance will be granted.

If the work is not completed in time, or if the same is done unsatisfactorily, separate arrangements will be made departmentally to get through the same holding the contractor responsible for the loss, if any, by the department, besides forfeiting, in whole or in part of the earnest money furnished by him at the discretion of the District Forest Officer. The decision of the District Forest Officer is final. The security deposit will be returned after the final bill is paid.

FORM OF TENDER.

In response to the tender notification dated the 20th July 1948, I beg to submit my tender for repairing the Shimoga-Settihalli Road of Shankar Range for 1948-49 and to enclose herein currency notes of the value of Rs. 100 as earnest money

Sl. No.	Particulars	Quantity	Rate per C.yd. Rs.	Rate tendered Rs.
	I. Collection of Metal in the 4th, 5th and 6th Miles of the Road.			
1	Collection of 6" boulders at 10 C.yds. per furlong (including lead)	240 C.yds.	...	...
2	Collection of 3" jelly metal at 40 C.yds. per furlong (including lead)	800 ,,	...	...
3	Collection of gravel at 30 C.yds. per furlong (including lead)	720 ,,	...	...
4	Collection of sand at 3 C.yds. per furlong (including lead)	72 ,,	...	...
	II. Consolidation of the first 3 Miles, *i.e.*, 1st, 2nd and 3rd mile of the Road.			
1	Picking the road surface 8" deep and 9' wide (24 furlongs)	15,840 Sq.Yds.	...	...
2	Fixing boulders wherever necessary	150 C.yds.	...	...
3	Spreading metal and consolidation	800 ,,	...	...
4	Do gravel do	720 ,,	...	...
5	Do sand do	72 ,,	...	...
6	Earthwork by reclearing of side drains and shoulder drains wherever necessary ...	About 900 C.yds.	...	...

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